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RE: SCOPE RULING:DUMPING ORDER ON AFBS FROM JAPAN (A-588-201)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS

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FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: SCOPE RULING:DUMPING ORDER ON AFBS FROM JAPAN (A-588-201)

1. ON 07/09/2001, IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY NTN CORPORATION, NTN BEARING CORPORATION OF AMERICA, NTN DRIVESHAFT, INC. NTN-BOWER CORPORATION, AND NTN-BCA CORPORATION (COLLECTIVELY NTN), THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ISSUED A FINAL SCOPE RULING THAT TURNTABLE SLEWING BEARINGS USED IN COMPUTERIZED AXIAL TOMOGRAPHY

(CT) SCAN MACHINES ARE NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER COVERING ANTIFRICTION BALL BEARINGS AND PARTS THEREOF FROM JAPAN (A-588-201).

2. THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT DETERMINED THAT TURNTABLE SLEWING BEARINGS ARE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER BECAUSE THE ORDER SPECIFICALLY STATED THAT THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION DETERMINED THAT IMPORTS OF SLEWING RINGS WERE NOT MATERIALLY INJURING, THREATENING MATERIAL INJURY TO, OR RETARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A U.S. INDUSTRY. IN ADDITION, THREE EARLIER SCOPE RULINGS WERE DISPOSITIVE OF THE ISSUE. IN TWO OF THESE RULINGS, CERTAIN BEARINGS WERE DETERMINED TO BE SLEWING RINGS OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER. IN THE THIRD RULING, A TURNTABLE BEARING, SLEWING RINGS, AND GEARLESS SLEWING RINGS OR SLEWING BEARINGS WERE FOUND TO BE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER. THEREFORE, TURNTABLE SLEWING BEARINGS USED IN CT SCAN MACHINES ARE NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER COVERING BALL BEARINGS AND PARTS THEREOF FROM JAPAN.

3. EFFECTIVE 07/09/2001, TERMINATE SUSPENSION AND LIQUIDATE ALL UNLIQUIDATED ENTRIES, REGARDLESS OF ENTRY DATE, OF TURNTABLE SLEWING BEARINGS USED IN CT SCAN MACHINES.

4. REFUND ANY CASH DEPOSITS WITH INTEREST AND RELEASE ANY BONDS RELATING TO THE PARTS LISTED ABOVE.

5. THE ASSESSMENT OF ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BY THE CUSTOMS SERVICE ON ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION 778 REQUIRES THAT CUSTOMS PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS AND ASSESS INTEREST ON UNDERPAYMENTS OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO CASH OR BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED FROM THE DATE PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES IS REQUIRED THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.

6. CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF ANTIFRICTION BALL BEARINGS AND PARTS THEREOF SUBJECT TO THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY

ORDER COVERING ANTIFRICTION BALL BEARINGS AND PARTS THEREOF FROM JAPAN.

7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." IMPORTING PUBLIC AND INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT GEORGE CALLEN AT 202-482-0180, AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT 3, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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